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MEMORANDUM FOR: Economic Defense Intelligence Committee  
FROM : Acting Executive Secretary, EDIC  
SUBJECT : Establishment of EDIC Working Group on  
Collection Requirements.

The Economic Defense Intelligence Committee on 6 October 1955 agreed to establish a Working Group on Collection Requirements, consisting of representatives of CIA (Chairman), State, Commerce and ICA.

The purpose of the Working Group is to review a suggested draft (prepared by CIA at the request of the State Department) for a new classified Supplement to the Foreign Service Manual containing instructions for reporting on economic relations with the Sino-Soviet Bloc. These instructions will supersede ERC 34 of 28 March 1952.

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Economic Defense Intelligence Committee

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